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By ECF

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Lewis A. Kaplan United States District Judge United States Courthouse 500 Pearl Street New York, NY 10007

Re: <u>United States v. Adel Abdel Bary</u>

98 Cr. 1023 (LAK)

Dear Judge Kaplan:

Mr. Bary has asked me to represent him on a motion for compassionate release. Accordingly, I respectfully request that Your Honor reappoint me pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act for that purpose *nunc pro tunc* to June 30, 2020.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/Andrew Patel
Andrew G. Patel

cc: All counsel (by ECF)